

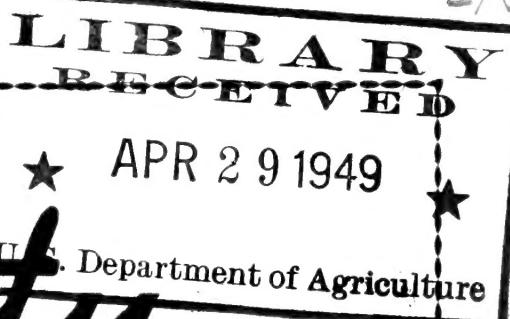
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# Iris City Gardens

Vigorous Washington grown Iris are noted for their ability to produce gorgeous blooms on account of our ideal soil and climatic conditions. We guarantee that you will not be disappointed with the size and energy of our rhizomes. Walla Walla Valley with its hot, dry summers and cool winters makes it the perfect breeding ground for Washington Iris.

Our gardens are in College Place, Washington, where homes have been built around Walla Walla College. We are located three miles west of Walla Walla, the "Iris City of the West." Visitors always welcome.

## Iris City Gardens

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Accredited Judge in American Iris Society

# Choice Washington Grown Iris

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**ACTION FRONT** (P. Cook '42) Large copper-red and garnet brown bi-tone. Large blooms and broad petals. **\$1.50**

**ALDURA** (Larsen '42) A plicata with clean white ground and beautiful blue markings. Very beautiful. **\$1.00**

**ALZA HOLA** (Snyder '41) Lovely blend of gold and powder blue. Very sweet. **\$2.00**

**AUBURN** (Kleinsorge '45) A self of coppery henna-brown, with a suggestion of gold. Early blooming with style and brilliance. **\$7.50**

**AZALEA** (Nesmith '46) A charming azalea pink with an ivory overtone. Strong, high standards, vigorous increaser. Really choice. **\$7.00**

**AZURE SKIES** (Pattison '43) Ruffled, pale azure-blue self. Most weather resistant of all. Has everything and sells out fast. **\$2.00**

**BANDMASTER** (Hall '44) Large, free-blooming, medium blue, near to sky blue. Color holds up. Vigorous grower. **\$4.00**

**BATAAN** (Kleinsorge '42) Deep, rich brown with coppery plum and henna blended in together. Lovely background for creams. **\$2.00**

**BLACK FOREST** (Schreiner '45) True ebony blue-black. Even the beard is nearly black. Medium height. **\$6.00**

**BLUE RHYTHM** (Whiting '45) Pure blue color that is outstanding. Fine form and substance. In great demand. **\$7.50**

**BLUE SHIMMER** (J. Sass '42) White and blue plicata that is different, with blue dots and forming a wide band on falls and standards. Large and fine everywhere. **\$2.50**

**BLUE VALLEY** (K. Smith '47) Nearly true blue, large, ruffled and very choice. This one is scarce. **\$18.00**

**BROWN THRASHER** (Kirkland '41) Brilliant golden coppery-brown. A beautiful splash of color. Medium height. **\$2.00**

**BRYCE CANYON** (Kleinsorge '44) A self-colored iris, henna to copper shade. Runner-up for the Dykes medal in 1948. Glorious. **\$6.00**

**BURGUNDY ROSE** (Hall '48) A large, ruffled dark amethyst in color. Great garden value. **\$5.00**

**CAMEROUN** (Cayeaux '38) Glowing rich deep purple, with the sheen of satin. Better than expected. **\$1.00**

**CAPTAIN WELLS** (Cook '41) Maroon purple, large and smooth. Late. Very good. **\$1.50**

**CARLSBAD CAVERNS** (Wilson '46) A giant for size, ruffled lemon yellow standards. Falls are white with streaks of gold. Floriferous. **\$2.50**

**CAROLINE BURR** (Smith '40) A cool ivory with a suggestion of green. Large and always good. **\$1.50**

**CASA MORENA** (DeForest '43) Large, rich chestnut brown. A self with a bronze beard. Popular. **\$4.00**

**CASCADE SPLENDOR** (Kleinsorge '45) Another large, ruffled blend of pink, tan and apricot. Edges of falls a deeper shade. Very popular. **\$6.00**

**CHAMOIS** (Kleinsorge '44) A self of pure chamois, huge for size, clean without any markings. Yellow beard, tipped with bronze. Long lasting as a cut flower. **\$3.00**

**CHANTILLY** (Hall '45) Lovely soft, orchid-pink with edges crimped so deeply it looks like lace. A dainty jewel but with good substance. **\$5.00**

**CHIVALRY** (J. Wills '44) Very fine medium blue. Exceptional substance, large domed standards and broad, flaring falls, ruffled edges. Outstanding in every way. Order early. **\$10.00**

**CLOTH OF GOLD** (Whiting '45) Brilliant deep yellow self. Tall and of excellent form. **\$3.00**

**CLOUD CASTLE** (Graves '44) An exquisite Wistaria-blue with mauve undertone. Large, ruffled, wide and flaring, a charming flower. **\$3.00**

**COPPER PINK** (Kellogg '41) Soft pink with copper tones. Blue shadings at mid-rib and style arms are blue. **\$1.00**

**COPPER RIVER** (DeForest '45) Ruffled and flaring, this flower has a blend of tan and bright copper. Glistening, bright finish. **\$6.00**

**CORDOVAN** (Kleinsorge '46) The color of cordovan leather with deep, coppery-oxblood tones. Ruffled edge on falls. **\$4.00**

**CREAMO** (Fitzpatrick '43) A huge, true cream. Excellent though little known. Late. **\$1.00**

**DAYBREAK** (Kleinsorge '41) Huge translucent pink with undertones of copper. Won high honors. A must-have. **\$2.00**

**DEEP VELVET** (Salbach '39) Rich, dark, blackish-purple self. Free flowering. **\$1.00**

**DISPLAY** (Grant '42) Darkest red, shading to maroon. No veining and almost black in certain lights. Most desirable. **\$1.50**

**DISTANCE** (Cook '46) Silvery light blue with no veinings, making a clean flower. Slightly waved with white beard. **\$9.00**

**DREAMCASTLE** (Cook '43) A bright orchid-pink self, clear and lovely. Broad standards and falls with white beard. One most sought after. **\$7.50**

**DRESS PARADE** (Maxwell '44) Standards bright gold, falls of Egyptian red. Smooth clean hafts. Sells out fast. **\$3.00**

**EASTER BONNET** (Maxwell - Norton '44) Rhodenite pink with gold margin on both standards and falls. Unusually fine. **\$4.50**

**ELLA CALLIS** (H. Sass '42) Huge, deep yellow with flush of orange on the falls. Very distinctive. **\$2.00**

**ELMOHR** (Loomis '42) Famous Dyke's winner in richest mulberry. Huge, glowing and hardy. Always in great demand. **\$1.00**

**EXTRAVAGANZA** (G. Douglas '44) Cream-white standards with falls a blend of deep violet and copper red. Heavy substance. A late bloomer. **\$8.00**

**FANTASY** (D. Hall '47) An orchid-lavender with falls a little deeper shade. Standards closed, good substance. Has appearance of golden throat with tangerine beard. A favorite. **\$20.00**

**FASHION PLATE** (Maxwell '45) Shadings of lavender crocus to almost white at the haft, with gold markings and beard. A real gem. **\$1.50**

**FIRECRACKER** (Hall '43) Another pli-cata. Heavy burgundy markings on pale yellow ground. Good substance. **\$3.50**

**FLAMELY** (Cook '43) Well named, glowing orange and terracotta-red and with a yellow beard. A grand iris. Color of flame. **\$1.50**

**FLORA ZENOR** (J. Sass '41) Pale shell-pink with tangerine beard. Very attractive in a clump. **\$1.00**

**GARDEN FLAME** (H. Sass '41) Rosy garnet self, no haft markings. Closed standards, broad petals. Color of an Oriental rug. Rich and velvety. A beauty. **\$1.50**

**GARDEN GLORY** (Whiting '43) Deep, rich Bordeaux red, smooth and even color. Closed standards, flaring falls. Very popular and always good. **\$5.00**

**GOLDBEATER** (Kleinsorge '44) Large even colored bright yellow iris without markings. Good grower, increases fast, and hardy. **\$3.00**

**GOLDEN FLEECE** (J. Sass '40) Ruffled light lemon yellow standards. Falls creamy with deeper yellow border. Vigorous, huge and a tall grower. **\$1.50**

**GOLD RUFFLES** (Muhlestein '47) The most heavily ruffled iris of gold and of large size. Outstanding in every way. In great demand here. **\$10.00**

**GOLDEN RUSSET** (Hall '46) Enormous size and like its name in color. Always attracts much attention. A real acquisition to your garden. **\$7.50**

**GRAND CANYON** (Kleinsorge '41) Ever growing in popularity. A blend of plum, copper and gold with a bright gold beard. Has excellent substance, good form, and slightly ruffled. **\$1.00**

**HARRIET THOREAU** (Cook '44) A new and delightful shade of clear orchid-pink. A self and of large size. Truly a delight. **\$3.00**

**HIT PARADE** (Hall '47) One of those Flamingo pinks with tangerine beard. Good in form and substance. Most desirable. **\$10.00**

**ILLUSION** (Kleinsorge '43) Delicate orchid-pink with tawny beard, and an iridescence on the haft. Vigorous increaser, large, and late. **\$4.00**

**INDIANA NIGHT** (Cook '42) Deepest blue in color, large, and semi-flaring. Usually called "black," and a truly choice iris of good quality. **\$4.00**

**INSPIRATION** (Stevens '37) Immense blooms in rich rose shades. A glistening beauty of perfect form. **\$1.50**

**JASMINE** (Grant '44) Clear, golden yellow with thick velvety texture of a gardenia. Sensational and a "must have." **\$7.00**

**JASPER AGATE** (Williams '43) A copper-pink blending to red. Smooth, velvety finish. A self that is exquisite. **\$3.00**

**JULIET** (Kleinsorge '46) Flame-copper with salmon shadings, tawny in the sun. Good size with wide petals. A fascinating iris. **\$5.00**

**KATHRYN FAY** (Fay '45) A warm white with no yellow in the center, of large proportions. Broad petals, closed, ruffled standards. Fine substance and a glorious iris. **\$5.00**

**LADY BOSCAWEN** (Graves '46) Huge, alabaster-white that is always desirable. Excellent form. Yellow beard. **\$7.50**

**LADY MOHR** (Salbach '44) A new color. Standards oyster white, falls chartreuse with fluted edges. A most interesting color. **\$5.00**

**LAKE GEORGE** (K. Smith '45) A good branching, blue-violet. Of smooth finish, flaring and slightly ruffled. Horizontal falls. **\$5.00**

**LAKE SHANNON** (DeForest '45) Close to indigo blue, with deeper veining throughout the bloom. Flaring and fluted standards and falls. A must-have. **\$6.00**

**L. MERTON GAGE** (Lapham '40) Light raspberry pink and deep cream. Floriferous and charming in a clump. High rating. **\$1.00**

**LORD DONGAN** (K. Smith '40) Chinese violet standards and thick velvety pansy violet falls. Stunning pale yellow beard. Exceptionally rich color. A sturdy iris. **\$2.00**

**ULLABY** (Hall '43) Orchid-pink self from Hall's famous pinks. Large, well-branched. Luscious color and fine grower. **\$2.00**

**MAIDEN BLUSH** (Hall '43) An apricot pink self of good substance. Much admired. **\$1.00**

**MARY VERNON** (McKee '42) Standards of golden bronze, wide flaring falls of ruby red. Brilliant and lovely in the garden. **\$2.50**

**MASTER CHARLES** (Wmsn '43) Rich glowing mulberry-purple, with a sheen and finish hard to equal. Altogether a gorgeous iris. **\$3.50**

**MARIMBA** (DeForest '43) An outstanding cinnamon self. Large and bright. **\$1.00**

**MICHAEL** (Norton '46) Bridal rose pink blend with yellow beard. Crinkled edges and generous in size. Slightly fragrant. **\$3.00**

**MINNIE COLQUITT** (H. Sass '42) A white plicata with deep purple stitching. Ruffled and flaring. Distinctive and never enough of it. **\$3.00**

**MISTY GOLD** (Schreiner '43) A lemon cream, crinkly and ruffled with a golden border. Most usual. **\$2.00**

**MOONLIGHT MADONNA** (J. Sass '42) A cool luscious lemon yellow self. Clean coloring making an exquisite bloom. Medium height. **\$2.00**

**MULBERRY ROSE** (Schreiner '41) Radiant self in a new color. Tall, of good form and most attractive in the garden. Good increaser. **\$1.25**

**NATIONAL WHITE** (Weed '44) An immense flower, broad falls, tall, glistening white, noticed by everyone. One of the best. **\$1.00**

**NEW SNOW** (O. Fay '46) Large, clean white of most perfect form. Texture and finish exquisite. Ruffled and flaring. Long lasting and floriferous. **\$10.00**

**NIGHTFALL** (D. Hall '42) Falls dark pansy - purple that glisten. Standards lighter, good substance and fine branching. **\$1.00**

**OLA KALA** (J. Sass '43) Both flaring and ruffled, deep intense yellow. Dyke's winner in 1948. Has everything and is a real treasure. **\$2.50**

**OREGON TRAIL** (Kleinsorge '43) A blend of tawny salmon with brown on the broad falls. Large flowers of heavy texture that bloom late. **\$2.00**

**PINK CAMEO** (O. Fay '46) A shell pink, clear and delicate, but true to color. A beautiful iris that is in great demand. Irresistable. **\$10.00**

**PINK LACE** (Sass Bros. '47) An orange pink with tangerine beard. Medium size and very pleasing. **\$7.50**

**PINK REFLECTION** (P. Cook '42) Chamois-skin pink with lemon beard. Great substance and crisp quality is found in this flower. **\$3.00**

**PRAIRIE SUNSET** (H. Sass '39) Blending of peach, apricot, copper and gold, is hard to describe. Highly rated and always in great demand. **\$1.00**

**PREMIERE PEACH** (D. Hall '46) A shade of peach salmon-pink. Tangerine beard. Sells out early. **\$8.00**

**RADIANT LADY** (Maxwell '44) Standards terracotta to copper red with falls more intense. A vivid splash of color. **\$1.00**

**RANGER** (Kleinsorge '43) Claret red almost a self, of rare texture in richest pure velvet. Free blooming and a good increaser. Late. **\$3.00**

**REDWARD** (P. Cook '42) Brilliant near crimson, flaring, smooth falls. Most impressive red. **\$4.00**

**RED VALOR** (Nicholls '39) Garnet red self with brown beard. A magnificent iris of excellent form. Popular for years. **\$2.00**

**REMEMBRANCE** (D. Hall '42) Light pink blend of appealing beauty. Well shaped and in great demand. One of the better pinks. **\$2.00**

**ROCKET** (Whiting '45) A very brilliant orange-yellow flower. Large, wide petals. Heavy substance and ideal in form. Stands out from others. **\$15.00**

**ROSY RUFFLES** (C. Reese '46) Rosy lavender-pink of fine form. One of the early blooming and of large proportions. **\$3.50**

**ROSETOP** (H. Sass '41) Deep cream heavily stitched rose-pink. A late plicata, ruffled and of good size. Bright and lovely. **\$3.50**

**ROYAL SCOTT** (Hall '44) Tall and large, this plicata is heavily trimmed with a burgundy red. Good form, good substance, blooms freely and is a wonderful increaser. **\$2.00**

**RUBIENT** (Whiting '44) Standards red-purple like silk. Falls of heavy red-purple velvet with edge same tone as standards. Always admired. **\$1.50**

**SABLE** (P. Cook '38) A uniform shade of blackish blue-purple with lustrous silky sheen. Highest rating. Blue beard. **\$1.00**

**SALMONETTE** (J. Sass '46) One of the newer pinks from the famous Sass gardens. Approached from the yellow shade, it is different. A fine iris. **\$10.00**

**SHARKSKIN** (G. Douglas '42) Glistening white perfection in silk. Exquisite in clumps. Has everything desirable. **\$2.50**

**SNOW CARNIVAL** (Graves '42) An outstanding ruffled white. Perfectly formed, huge flowers; clean hafts, with heavy substance. A grand iris. **\$5.00**

**SNOW FLURRY** (Reese '39) Charming ruffled blue-white beauty. Early, large and floriferous. Long lasting and makes a perfect garden picture. **\$1.25**

**SNOW VELVET** (H. Sass '42) Heavy substance, and texture unusual in a white iris. Holds up through heat. Is different. **\$1.50**

**SOLID MAHOGANY** (J. Sass '44) Brownish-red in a rich, deep, glowing tone. Of good substance. Falls like plush, with a bronze gold beard. **\$5.00**

**SONRISA** (DeForest '42) Large coppery pink and elusive yellow undertone with smooth finish and substance. Hardy and has real merit. **\$2.50**

**SOUTHERN PACIFIC** (Taylor '42) A lavender-blue in huge proportions, with long season of bloom. Truly a giant. **\$1.50**

**SPANISH PEAKS** (Loomis '47) A rare iris in **ALL** white. Large, broad petals, ruffled, of thick substance and of good form. A sensation. **\$17.50**

**SPINDRIFT** (Loomis '44) Translucent coral-pink approaching true pink, with a startling tangerine beard. A genuine jewel. **\$3.00**

**SPUN GOLD** (Glutzbeck '40) A Dyke's winner, this deep golden-yellow self has all the desired qualities. Still scarce. **\$1.50**

**SULTAN'S ROBE** (Salbach '45) Standards Van Dyke red, shading to deep rose. A touch of the Orient. Falls seem to have an overlay of gold with a dash of blue in the center of each petal. **\$5.00**

**SUNSET SERENADE** (J. Sass '43) Apricot-buff with pink tints. Heavy texture, an extraordinary iris. Most pleasing. **\$2.00**

**SYLVIA MURRAY** (Norton '44) Pure, clear Celeste blue. A glamorous iris, still new to many. A very large, flaring form and grand texture. Here is real value. **\$3.00**

**THE CAPITOL** (Maxwell '44) Sparkling, pure, snowy white, this stately iris is superior in every way. Golden beard and shoulders. High in quality. Order early. **\$3.00**

**THREE OAKS** (Whiting '43) A huge rose-pink and copper blend, with a touch of blue in the falls. Most attractive. **\$3.00**

**TIFFANJA** (DeForest '42) Yellow plicata with Colonial buff standards and falls with light brown at haft. Most floriferous, superior in form and substance. **\$1.50**

**TISHOMINGO** (Caldwell '42) A Wisteria-blue self with perfect form and substance. Frosty finish, making splendid harmony. **\$1.50**

**TOBACCO ROAD** (Kleinsorge '42) True to its name in color, broad petals, and of fine texture. Falls held out horizontally give this iris individuality. Tops. **\$5.00**

**VEISHA** (Whiting '43) Bright copper-rose blend with blaze of blue in center of each fall. A pleasing iris. **\$1.50**

**VICE REGAL** (Miles) Bronzy red-purple in rich depth of color heightened by a bronze beard. Blooms freely and is truly regal. **\$3.00**

**VIOLET SYMPHONY** (K. Smith '40) Lilac-mauve or a light purple self. Massive broad petals. **\$1.00**

**WHITE WEDGEWOOD** (Grant '43) A smooth porcelain-white with strong substance. Blue at base of beard makes it appear ethereal. Cool, clear loveliness. **\$3.50**

## SPECIAL OFFER

These Iris are usually priced at 75c each. You may choose any twelve of them for \$5.00. We reserve the right to substitute if sold out of any of them.

Anne Newhard	Melitta	Prince of Orange
Arctic	Monadnock	Roseland
Fair Elaine	Mount Washington	Stardom
Lighthouse	Nylon	The Admiral
Louvois	Pink Marvel	Wabash
Matterhorn	Pink Ruffles	Wallowa Lake



We pay postage on orders of \$3.50 or over. Please add 35c packing charges on orders for less. Orders shipped in Washington must include 3% sales tax.

Terms are cash with order, check, draft, or money order. Shipments of rhizomes will be made from July 5 to August 15.

We guarantee healthy stock, true to name, and that it reaches you in good condition, but cannot guarantee the growth in your garden, over which we have no control. However, we want all of our customers satisfied. If for any reason you are not satisfied, please write us about it. If stock is sold out, your money will be refunded.

On orders over \$10.00 we allow you to choose one-third more of the total of your order as a free gift. For instance, if your order is \$12.00, you may choose any Iris or Irises in this list up to \$4.00 free. This does not apply to the Special Offer at the top of this page.

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